

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE
WYOMING

**OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE PLAN
RUNOFF MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
CODE 570**

Land Owner/Operator _____

Job Location _____ GPS _____

Prepared By _____ Date _____

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE ITEMS

A properly operated and maintained runoff management system is an asset to the area. The system was designed and installed to help control excess runoff caused by construction activities and/or other land disturbance. Estimated life span of this installation is at least 10 years. The life of the structure can be assured and usually increased by developing and carrying out an effective operation and maintenance program. An effective operation and maintenance program includes:

- ☐ Repair or replace damaged components.
- ☐ Maintain and remove debris and litter from inlets, outlets, storage structures, and water conveyance facilities.
- ☐ Maintain fences and barriers constructed to prevent unauthorized human or animal entry.
- ☐ Maintain vigorous growth of desirable vegetative coverings. This includes reseeding, fertilization, and application of herbicides when necessary. Periodic mowing or short term grazing may also be needed to control height.
- ☐ Remove nuisance rodents or burrowing animals. Repair any damage caused by their activity.
- ☐ Repair any vandalism, vehicular, or livestock damage.

Other _____
